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JEWELL PREDICTS STRIKE WILL END

SAYS RAILROADS WILL SURRENDER "AS SOON AS WE BRING THEM TO THEIR KNEES." THE STRIKE BECOMING MORE EFFECTIVE DAILY.

Richmond, Va., July 20.—A strike of 3,000 clerks on the Chesapeake and Ohio was apparently only partly effective, although union leaders said the men walked out at 10 a. m. "practically 100 per cent."

Annulment of trains continued, with the effectiveness of the strike growing daily, and cancelled trains neared the 300 mark.

President Jewell, of the striking shopmen, gave the roads two weeks until they would "be on their knees" and ready for a settlement.

The real obstacle to peace, the strike leader said, was the road's objection to establishing a national board of rules adjustment.

Minor disturbances were reported from widely scattered points, employees being flogged and shot in a dozen instances by strike sympathizers.

Chicago, July 20.—B. M. Jewell, president of the six federated shopcrafts, predicted today that the railroads will capitulate and settle the strike within two weeks.

The strike is becoming more effective daily, he said, "and the roads will yield as soon as we bring them to their knees."

The railroad executive's statements on the seniority question were characterized by Mr. Jewell as camouflage designed to cover up the real issue—a national adjustment board.

The executive board of the striking unions will meet this afternoon to consider an answer to the statement, issued by the railroad officials last night.

"The railroads know they cannot justify their fight against the national adjustment board before the public," Mr. Jewell said. "The board would take working rules disputes off the hands of the railroad labor board except in cases of appeals and leave the board free to devote practically all its time to wage questions."

MORE RAIDS COMING

The End is Not in Sight at Atlantic City.

Atlantic City, July 20.—Federal prohibition agents who raided a score of places at this resort yesterday intimated that they would ply their dreaded profession again.

Their activities yesterday put 27 bartenders and owners under arrest and accumulated 1,000 quarts of whiskey, 49 kegs of wine and beer, moonshine, red eye and sundry, unnamed and unnumbered concoctions. The men were each held in \$1,000 bail.

ANDERSON VISITORS

Mr. and Mrs. D. S. Vandiver of Anderson, accompanied by their five fine children are in the city today for a visit to Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Horton. Thomas, the oldest son is just home from New York where he saw Babe Ruth and other distinguished men. Mr. Vandiver was enjoying the quiet of Abbeville and after all the talk about politics and the boll weevils spent the time looking at the funny papers.

HOME AGAIN.

Mrs. M. B. Reese has returned to Abbeville after a month spent at Oxford, Miss. Bradley Boy and Marie who accompanied their mother took part in the wedding of their cousin and have much that is interesting to tell their little friends.

The rain Wednesday about night-fall was heavy enough to wash cross-ties down the Parker creek bottoms in Fort Pickens.

MRS. MARY HOLCOMB TAGGART

Passed Away Thursday Morning at Her Home at Eureka Hotel.

Mrs. Mary Holcomb Taggart, widow of the late James Taggart, of Abbeville, died in her apartment at the Eureka Hotel Thursday morning, July 20th, at 9:30 after a protracted illness, death bringing relief to her from intense suffering. The funeral services will be held this (Friday) afternoon at the Presbyterian Church of which Mrs. Taggart had been a member from her early womanhood, and interment will follow immediately at Long Cane Cemetery.

Mrs. Taggart was 68 years of age at the time of her death. She was daughter of William Holcomb and his wife. She came to Abbeville County during the War Between the States with her parents, and has since made her home here. She is survived by her daughter, Mrs. H. A. Benton and by one son, Harry M. Taggart. William T. Hughes, the only son of her predeceased daughter, Mamie Taggart Hughes, also survives the deceased. She leaves too a sister, Mrs. M. E. Hollingsworth, and two brothers, F. J. Holcomb of Palatka, Fla., and J. H. Holcomb of Dublin, Ga.

Mrs. Taggart belonged to that small class of men and women who make the city in which they live worth while. She was a woman of more than ordinary business judgment, and this combined with industry, perseverance and good management helped to make her successful in enterprises where others failed. For a good many years she conducted a store for ladies in Abbeville, later giving up this business to operate a private hotel in the city. A few years ago she bought the Eureka Hotel. In this last business venture she saw further than others had seen, and made a success out of it. In her lifetime she accumulated considerable property, leaving her children in comfortable circumstances.

But this was only a small part of what she did. She was a woman given to charity and kind deeds. In her home the fatherless and the motherless found not only shelter but food and raiment. To her the friendless often looked and they were not turned away. Her hand was given to the dispensation of kindness and her heart was open to every call of the needy and distressed. If she spoke and acted with the impulsiveness of Simon Peter she too was the called when there was real work to be done and real courage to be shown. By the deeds of such as she cities are builded, and the world is made happier.

The stores and business houses in the city will be closed at the hour of the funeral services out of honor and respect for the deceased.

Attending the funeral from out of the city were Mr. J. H. Holcomb, a brother of Mrs. Taggart, Mrs. A. H. Graham, a niece and Miss Mary Keith, a grand-niece, the two latter from Birmingham, Ala., and Mr. and Mrs. W. F. Benton, of Monroe, N. C.

Distribution of Coal.

Washington, July 20.—Plans are being worked out by various government agencies to secure the distribution of the present coal production to the railroads, it was announced today by Secretary Hoover.

Strike At Charlotte.

Charlotte, N. C., July 20.—Fifteen men employed at the Southern railway coal chute quit work this morning in obedience to the strike call of the stationary firemen, oilers and engineers.

VISITING.

Mrs. J. F. Barnwell and little Miss Josephine went to Pell City, Ala., this week where they will spend some time with Mr. and Mrs. E. A. Thomson.

The Carolina Syncopators went to Elberton this afternoon to play for a dance there tonight.

PROGRAM COUNTY SHORT COURSE FOR ALL CLUB BOYS AND GIRLS

WILL BE HELD AT WOMAN'S COLLEGE DUE WEST, BEGINNING WEDNESDAY, JULY 26 AND CONTINUING THROUGH THE 28.—A SPLENDID PROGRAM HAS BEEN ARRANGED BY MRS. GIBBONS, HOME DEMONSTRATION AGENT, ABBEVILLE COUNTY.

The following is the program for the Abbeville County Short Course for Boys and Girls which will be held at the Woman's College, Due West, beginning Wednesday, July 26:

GIRL'S PROGRAM.

Wednesday, July 26th.

10.00 A. M.—Assembling.
11-11.15—Address of Welcome, J. Howard Moore.
11.15-12.30—Canning, pickling, Fall gardening—Mrs. Dora D. Walker, assisted by Misses Roberts and McMurray.
12.30—Picnic Dinner.
2.00-3.00—Hat making—Mrs. Johnson and Misses Roberts and McMurray.
3.00-4.30—Tea Napkins—Mrs. Johnson, Misses Roberts and McMurray.
4.30-5.30—Sewing Exhibit.
5.30-6.30—Games—Miss Mildred Wilson.
6.30—Supper.
7.30—Vesper Service, Games and stories—Miss Mildred Wilson.
9.30—Taps.

Thursday, July 27th.

6.30—Reville and setting up exercises—Miss Mildred Wilson.
7.30—Breakfast.
8.8.30—Straightening rooms and policing.
8.30-9—Chapel.
9-10.30—Weighing and measuring—Mrs. Todd (Nurse).
10.30-11—Grading Eggs—Miss Neely.
11-11.30—Talk on poultry club work Miss Neely.
11.30-12.30—Care of Teeth—Dr. H. C. Fennel.
12.30—Dinner.
1.30-4—Making Flowers—Misses Roberts and McMurray in charge.
4.00-5.00—First Aid—Mrs. Todd.
5.00-6—Health Talk (typhoid fever) Dr. A. H. Hayden.
6.30—Supper.
7.30-8—Good Time.
8.00-9—Vesper Services. Community Singing—Miss ??
9.30—Taps.

Friday, July 28th.

6.30—Reville and setting up exercises—Miss Mildred Wilson.
7.30—Breakfast.
8.8.30—Cleaning rooms and policing
8.30-9—Chapel.
9-9.30—Talk on Economy and Thrift—D. S. Herman.
9.30-10—Remarks—Mr. Altman.
9.00-11—Biscuit Contest.
10-11—Review work—L. L. Baker.
11-12—Talk on Club Work—Mr. Hill (Washington).
12.30—Dinner.
1.30-2.30—Jello Salad, Mayonnaise or Cooked Dressing—Miss Snider.
3.00—Good-bye.

WOMAN'S PROGRAM.

(Same as Girl's Program for the morning.)

3.00—Woman's Council.
3.15—Late Council for Farm Women—Mrs. John Wham.
3.15-4—Leadership—Miss Christine South.
4.4.30—Importance of keeping records—Mrs. Johnson.
4.30-5—Round Table.

BOYS' PROGRAM.

Wednesday, July 26th.

10.30—Assembling.
11.30—Welcoming Talk.
12.30—Dinner.
2-2.30—What Club Work means and what we want to accomplish in the clubs this year—County Agent.
2.20-2.45—What I Think about Club Work—Harper Donald.
2.45-3—How Club Work Helped me—by outstanding boys to be selected.
3.5.00—Judging Dairy Cattle—D. Badger.
5-6.30—Play, "Rope Tying."
6.30—Supper.
7.30-9.20—Games, story telling and Vesper services—Miss Mildred Wilson.
9.30—Taps.

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11-11.30—Talk on Poultry Club Work—Miss Neely.
11.30-12.30—Care of Teeth—Dr. H. C. Fennel.
12.30—Dinner.
1.30-4—Judging Swine.
4-5.00—First Aid—Mrs. Todd.
5-6.00—Health Talk (typhoid fever)—Dr. A. H. Hayden.
6.30—Supper.
7.30-8—Good Time.
8-9.00—Vesper Services, Community Singing.
9.30—Taps.

Friday, July 28—(Program same Girl's for Morning)

1.30-2.30—Talk by Specialist—Of interest to everybody.
3.30—Goodbye.
Mrs. Alma C. Gibbons, County Home Demonstration Agent, has the following to say in regard to this Short Course:
The Abbeville County Short Course for boys and girls will be held at Due West Woman's College July 26th through July 28th.

"A very instructive program has been arranged for this time and I would be glad if every one interested in this work would come over at any time and visit the class rooms and see the real work that is being done through the Home Demonstration Department for the boys and girls. You will probably get some information that will be of great help to you in your own work."

"The first day we are going to call 'get together day' and a program has been arranged for the parents of the boys and girls and those who are interested in seeing our county progress."

"The ladies are asked to bring a picnic dinner for the first day."

"I am very anxious to make this Short course the best one that we have ever had and with your help and cooperation I feel sure that great things can be accomplished in this work. I am also anxious that every parent that has a girl or boy who is a member of a club make an effort to bring or send them to this meeting."

"I assure you that the best of care will be taken of each one and if you will let them come we can have a 100 per cent. membership present."

"This course is for your boy and girl and I will be very much disappointed if they are not there."

"I am fortunate in securing the following help: B. B. Williams, L. L. Baker, D. S. Herman, Donald Badger, Henry Johnson, Mr. Hill from Washington and the Home and Farm agents from Greenwood County, Miss Janie Roberts, Mr. Altman, Mrs. Dora Dee Walker, Miss Neely, Snider and Mrs. Johnson.
"Come and let us make this meeting a success."

NEWS FROM DR. HILL

Mrs. L. T. Hill received a telegram late Thursday afternoon stating that Dr. L. T. Hill stood well the operation performed at Dr. McGwire's Hospital and was comfortable. His son, Dr. J. C. Hill, was with him at the time and will remain in Richmond for several days.

Dr. Hill's many patients and friends will look forward with interest to further good news from his bedside.

MRS. SARAH CATER WILSON

One of the Oldest Residents of The County Died Wednesday

Mrs. Sarah Cater Wilson died July 19, 1922 near the city at the home of her son, R. C. Wilson, with whom she resided.

Mrs. Wilson was in her 90th year and was a woman of wonderful vitality. She was taken sick Monday and died Wednesday afternoon of heart failure.

Funeral services were conducted Thursday at 3:30 p. m. at Long Cane church, of which she was a consistent member, by Rev. G. M. Telford, the pastor. The following officers of the church acted as active and honorary pallbearers:

Active: O. S. Cochran, H. N. Cochran, A. J. Ferguson, J. C. Coleman, R. H. Stevenson and Calvin Stevenson.

Honorary: A. T. McIlwaine, W. J. Milford, J. A. Stevenson, G. T. McIlwaine and Paul Mann.

Interment was at Long Cane cemetery. A large number of friends were present at the services showing the love and esteem in which the deceased was held by the people of Abbeville and the surrounding country. Many floral tributes were in evidence.

Mrs. Wilson is survived by one son, R. C. Wilson, and one sister, Miss Rebecca Cater, and a large circle of relatives and friends who will remember as long as memory lasts the unselfish and loyal life of this good woman.

One niece, Mrs. Henry Pressly, of Atlanta, T. V. Miller of Due West, Mr. T. T. Loftis and T. T. Loftis, Jr. of Brevard, N. C., were among the out of town relatives and friends attending the funeral.

FLAMES DESTROY FURMAN BUILDING

Loss Estimated at Over Forty Thousand—Trustees Make Plans to Rebuild at Once.

Greenville, July 20.—The James C. Furman science hall at Furman university, constructed in 1911, at a cost of more than \$50,000 was completely gutted by fire which was discovered about 5 o'clock this morning and which raged for several hours before it could be gotten under control.

At a meeting of the executive committee of the board of trustees today it was decided to replace the building in exactly its former state, the work to begin at once, with the expectation of having it in readiness about the time of the opening of the fall term at the university in September. On account of increased cost of building now as compared with the time when the building was erected it is estimated that it will require about \$50,000 to \$60,000 to rebuild it. Insurance to the amount of \$32,000 was carried on the structure, and it is understood it is regarded by insurance men as virtually a complete loss.

WIN FOR ABBEVILLE IN OPENING BATTLE

In Laurens Thursday by the Score of 7 to 3.—Anderson Beats Greenwood.

Abbeville won the opening game over Laurens Thursday afternoon in the week-end series by the score of 7 to 3. Laurens got three runs in the first inning but the visitors got the clincher on and headed off the threatened stampede. Swenborg for Abbeville allowed only three hits, two of which came in the first. Wolfe for Laurens was hit for six safeties. Abbeville 7 6 3 Laurens 3 3 7 Swenborg and Agnew; Wolff, Bobo, Culbertson and Rasor.

Anderson, July 20.—Terrific hitting and stellar work on the field combined with the work of the veteran Jim McAlister on the mound gave Anderson a 10 to 2 victory over Greenwood in their first game of the week here today.

Greenwood 2 5 1 Anderson 10 2 2 Calvert and Livingston; McAlister and Vaughn.

BANKS TO ASSIST COTTON MOVEMENT

INDORSEMENT FOR COOPERATIVE BODY—PRESIDENT OF STATE BANKERS' ASSOCIATION PLEADED WITH PROGRESS MADE.

Rock Hill, July 20.—The banks of South Carolina will stand strongly behind the South Carolina Cotton Growers' Cooperative association, in the opinion of Charles L. Cobb of Rock Hill, president of the South Carolina Bankers association, who declared today that in his opinion the formation of the association marked the most forward step that the farmers of the state have ever taken.

"I feel sure that there is not a bank in South Carolina but that will cooperate in every way possible with the association," said Mr. Cobb. "The banks are delighted to see the farmers putting such businesslike methods in the marketing of their crops. It is a step which we feel they should have taken long ago."

"A very great majority of the banking institutions of the state indorsed the movement during the organization campaign and assisted in putting the campaign over. They did this only after they had made a thorough study of the plan and of the operation of the associations in other states which functioned last season."

"I feel that an exceptionally able board of directors has been chosen in this state, one that can cope successfully with any problem which might arise. The war finance corporation has placed its stamp of approval on the organization by approving an application for an advance of \$10,000,000. This shows the confidence that it has in it. The banks of South Carolina have the same confidence in it, I am sure, and will stand ready to assist in every way possible."

"We are all more or less familiar with the results that have been accomplished by the cooperative in California. I do not feel that it is too much to expect that just as great results will be obtained by the cotton cooperatives."

SIX WHITE MEN HELD BY FEDERAL OFFICERS

Charged With Interfering With the Mails at Augusta, Ga.

Augusta, Ga., July 20.—Six white men, some of them said to be striking shopmen, were arrested here early today by government and city officers on a charge of interfering with the United States mails.

It is alleged that attacks by these men upon car repairers at the union station early yesterday delayed an Atlantic Coast Line train carrying mail.

The men arrested are: E. B. Steed, W. S. Wolfe, W. T. Daly, James H. Martin, J. F. Crawford and Wiley Wilson, all of this city. Crawford was fined in police court yesterday for attacking a car repairer. This is the first federal action taken in the strike here.

LOOKING OVER SWIMMING POOL

E. L. Filly, state health officer was in town yesterday going over the proposition of the new swimming pool being erected by the Hospital Auxiliary at Klugh's Park.

COTTON MARKET

Cotton brought 23 3/4 on the local market today. Futures closed:
July 21.98
Oct. 21.94
Dec. 21.90
Jan. 21.75
March 21.71
Futures closed yesterday:
July 22.42
Oct. 22.38
Dec. 22.34
Jan. 22.14
March 22.16